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of the
TOWN OF FREMONT
NEW HAMPSHIRE



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FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1942



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Town of Fremont

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer

AND ALL OTHER

Officers and Committees

FOR THE

Financial Year Ending January 31, 1942

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TOWN OFFICERS

Clerk

WILLIAM T. SHANNON

Selectmen

ALBERT G. FULLER, 1942

E. ABBOTT BEEDE, 1943

GEORGE A. BASSETT, 1944

Treasurer

GEORGE E. BEEDE

Collector of Taxes

LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL

Auditor

LULA M. BALL

Highway Agents

SYLVESTER A. SANBORN

CURTICE S. SANBORN

Chief Fire Department

ROBERT W. SMITH

Health Officer

FRANK N. DAVIS

Librarians

BLANCHE M. MARCOTTE

BERTHA H. STEVENSON

Library Trustees

BERTHA H. STEVENSON, 1942

GEORGE A. BASSETT, 1943

LULA M. BALL, 1944

Trustees of Trust Funds

CLIFTON H. BEEDE, 1942

ALBERT G. FULLER, 1943

EUGENE D. SANBORN, 1944

Dog Officer

JAMES I. LECLAIR

Constable

ROBERT W. SMITH

*Police*ROBERT B. SMITH, *Chief*

LEE B. MOULTON

SYLVESTER A. SANBORN

ALBERT G. FULLER

Forest Fire Warden

ROBERT W. SMITH

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

ALBERT G. FULLER

LEE B. MOULTON

CURTICE S. SANBORN

SYLVESTER A. SANBORN

LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL

Moderator

EUGENE D. SANBORN

Supervisors of the Check List

CURTICE S. SANBORN

LEE B. MOULTON

ARTHUR A. DAVIES

Ballot Inspectors

LYMAN S. HOOKE

SARAH L. CLEMENT

GARRIE H. GOVE

WALLACE CROOKER

Janitor of Town Hall

LEE B. MOULTON

Budget Committee

WILLIAM COLE

HERMAN M. SANBORN

ANTHINE D. LECOMTE

Members at Large

George A. Bassett, member from Board of Selectmen.

Ethel L. McIntosh, member from School Board.

Representative to the General Court

JOHN E. ROBBINS

Delegate Constitutional Convention

EUGENE D. SANBORN

May 1938 — September 1941

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Fremont in the County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Fremont on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To hear the report of the budget committee and act thereon.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be deemed necessary, for the following purposes: care of cemeteries, street lighting, support of poor, old age assistance, maintenance of highways and bridges, general expenses of highways department, the Public Library, Memorial Day, and town charges.

4. To see whether the town will vote to accept Class II or class V aid from the state on highways and raise and appropriate either \$810.00 for Class II or \$243.53 for Class V highways.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the use of the Fremont Fire Department.

6. To see if the town will vote to purchase a Fire Siren and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for same.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,578.36 to complete the payment of the new bridge.

8. To hear the report of the selectmen on the work done by Carl E. Walker surveying, mapping and bounding the lands owned by the town on tax collector's deeds, and take any action deemed necessary thereto.

9. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

10. To transact any other business that may be deemed necessary.

Given under our hands and seal, this 23rd., day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-two.

ALBERT G. FULLER,
E. ABBOTT BEEDE,
GEORGE A. BASSETT,
Selectmen of Fremont.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ALBERT G. FULLER,
E. ABBOTT BEEDE,
GEORGE A. BASSETT,
Selectmen of Fremont.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

| | Actual revenue previous year, 1941 | Estimated revenue ensuing year, 1942 | In- crease | De- crease |
|--|---|---|---------------|-----------------|
| FROM STATE: | | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | \$309.03 | \$309.03 | ..... | ..... |
| Railroad Tax | 21.46 | 21.46 | ..... | ..... |
| Savings Bank Tax | 278.58 | 278.58 | ..... | ..... |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | 9.69 | ..... | ..... | 9.69 |
| FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES: | | | | |
| Business Licenses and Permits and Fees | 21.00 | 15.00 | ..... | 6.00 |
| Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings | 165.00 | 165.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 17.25 | 17.25 | ..... | ..... |
| Income of Departments: | | | | |
| Cemetery lots | 30.00 | 30.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Sale of Wood | 72.00 | 72.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 797.77 | 500.00 | ..... | 297.77 |
| FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES: | | | | |
| Poll Taxes | 626.00 | 626.00 | ..... | ..... |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 5.45 | 5.45 | ..... | ..... |
| TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES | \$2,353.23 | \$2,039.77 | ..... | \$313.46 |
| AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES | 17,710.38 | 15,729.76 | ..... | ..... |
| TOTAL REVENUES | \$20,063.61 | \$17,769.53 | ..... | ..... |

FREMONT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year, February 1, 1942 to January 31, 1943, Compared With

Year, February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Actual expenditures previous year, 1941 | Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1942 | In- crease | De- crease |
|---|--|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES: | | | | |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$525.00 | \$550.00 | \$25.00 | ..... |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 449.57 | 450.00 | .43 | ..... |
| Election and Registration Ex- penses | 57.00 | 85.00 | 28.00 | ..... |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings | 549.57 | 450.00 | ..... | \$99.57 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Police Department | 76.33 | 100.00 | 23.67 | ..... |
| Fire Department | 69.53 | 200.00 | 130.47 | ..... |
| Health: | | | | |
| Health Dept., inc. hospitals | 18.65 | 50.00 | 31.35 | ..... |
| Vital Statistics | 15.00 | 15.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town Maintenance | 1,308.75 | 1,500.00 | 191.25 | ..... |
| Street Lighting | 247.56 | 247.56 | ..... | ..... |
| Gen. Exp. of Highway Dept. .. | 553.56 | 800.00 | 246.44 | ..... |
| Town Road Aid | 241.92 | 243.53 | 1.61 | ..... |
| Libraries: | | | | |
| Libraries | 83.25 | 75.00 | ..... | 8.25 |
| Public Welfare: | | | | |
| Town Poor | 684.84 | 500.00 | ..... | 184.84 |
| Old Age Assistance | 810.01 | 900.00 | 89.99 | ..... |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | |
| Memorial Day and other Celebra- tions | 171.00 | 150.00 | ..... | 21.00 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | | |
| Cemeteries | 79.00 | 75.00 | ..... | 4.00 |
| OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCT- ION AND PERM. IMPROVE. . | | | | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town Construction—Bridge | 4,578.36 | 1,578.36 | ..... | 3,000.00 |
| State Aid Construction—Town's Share | 36.05 | ..... | ..... | 36.05 |
| Fire Dept., Specials | 562.91 | 400.00 | } \$37.09 | ..... |
| New Equipment—Surveying and Mapping | 307.35 | 200.00 | | 307.35 |
| PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN- MENTAL DIVISIONS: | | | | |
| County Taxes | 2,810.22 | 2,721.08 | ..... | 89.14 |
| Payments to School Districts | 5,677.30 | 6,479.00 | 801.70 | ..... |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | \$19,912.73 | \$17,769.53 | \$1,167.00 | \$3,754.20 |

WILLIAM COLE,
A. D. LECOMPTE,
M. H. SANBORN,
GEORGE A. BASSETT,
ETHEL L. McINTOSH,

Budget Committee.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Inventory as made by Selectmen, April 1, 1941

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Real estate, resident | \$266,435.00 |
| Real estate, non-resident | 82,190.00 |
| Electric plants | 9,800.00 |
| Horses, 28 | 2,740.00 |
| Cows, 94 | 7,840.00 |
| Neat Stock, 10 | 400.00 |
| Fowl, 10620 | 10,620.00 |
| Wood and lumber | 5,815.00 |
| Gas pumps and tanks | 1,695.00 |
| Stock in trade | 64,184.00 |
| Mills and machinery | 87,900.00 |
| Portable mills | 500.00 |

\$540,119.00

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Resident property tax | \$14,426.20 |
| Non-resident property tax | 3,397.88 |
| 332 poll taxes at \$2.00 | 664.00 |

\$18,488.08

Rate of taxation on \$1,000.00—\$33.00

Exempted to soldiers—\$9,900.00

Exempted to blind—\$60.00

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1941

| | |
|--|-------------|
| County Tax | \$2,810.22 |
| Town charges | 1,900.00 |
| Maintenance town highways | 1,500.00 |
| General expense of highways | 500.00 |
| Town poor and old age assistance | 1,400.00 |
| Street lighting | 247.56 |
| Fire Protection, Water holes | 200.00 |
| Fire Protection, Supplies for Dept. | 300.00 |
| Class V. Road aid | 241.92 |
| Cemeteries | 75.00 |
| Bridge construction, Bassett Road | 3,000.00 |
| Memorial Day | 150.00 |
| Public Library | 75.00 |
| Schools | 7,507.00 |
| Overlay | 13.90 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$19,920.60 |

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| | |
|---|------------|
| Town Hall and land | \$8,000.00 |
| Furniture in hall | 250.00 |
| Library building | 600.00 |
| Library furniture and books | 650.00 |
| Police department equipment | 10.00 |
| Fire department land and building | 2,500.00 |
| Fire department equipment | 2,500.00 |
| Highway department equipment | 3,000.00 |
| Schoolhouses (4) and land | 4,000.00 |
| School equipment | 500.00 |
| Brentwood Mining & Chemical Co., land | 100.00 |
| George A. Dill, land | 100.00 |
| Joseph B. Proulx, land | 50.00 |
| Elizabeth C. Jackson, land and buildings | 400.00 |
| Sarah E. Clowitt, land and buildings | 750.00 |
| Leonard Rich, land and buildings | 300.00 |
| Jacob G. Brown, land and buildings | 50.00 |

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| John T. Hartford Estate | | 50.00 |
| Gertrude F. Fellows | 240.00 | |
| Gertrude F. Langley | 2,550.00 | 2,790.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$26,150.00 |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received from dog licenses issued:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Male and spayed female dogs, 69 at 2.00 | \$138.00 |
| Female dogs, 8 at \$5.00 | 40.00 |
| Kennel Licenses 5..... | 12.00 |
| Male dogs, part year 2..... | 2.20 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$192.20 |
| Reserved for fees 84 at .15c | 12.60 |
| | <hr/> |
| Paid town treasurer | 179.60 |
| Received from 290 auto registration permits 1941 | 786.00 |
| Received for 11 auto registration permits 1942 | 11.77 |
| | <hr/> |
| Paid town treasurer | \$797.77 |
| | |
| Received from pool table license | \$15.00 |
| Received from town officer filing fees | 6.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Paid town treasurer | \$21.00 |

WILLIAM T. SHANNON,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1941

Dr.

Taxes committed to collector:

| | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Property taxes | \$17,824.08 |
| Poll taxes | 652.00 |

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Total Warrant | \$18,476.08 |
|---------------------|-------------|

Added Taxes:

| | |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Property taxes | 56.10 |
| Poll taxes | 22.00 |
| Interest collected | 13.69 |

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Total Debits | \$18,567.87 |
|--------------------|-------------|

Cr.

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Total remittances to treasurer | \$18,519.62 |
| Uncollected taxes as per collectors list | 48.00 |

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Total Credits | \$18,567.87 |
|---------------------|-------------|

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1940

Dr.

| | |
|--|---------|
| Uncollected taxes as of Feb. 1, 1941 | \$57.40 |
| Interest collected during fiscal year ended Jan. 31, 1942 | 1.61 |

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|--|---------|
| Total remittances to treasurer during fiscal year ended Jan. 31, 1942 | \$59.01 |
|--|---------|

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1939

Dr.

Uncollected taxes as of Feb. 1, 1941 \$6.00

Cr.

Paid Treasurer during fiscal year end-

ing Jan. 31, 1942 6.00

Summary of tax sales accounts as of Jan. 31, 1942. Tax
sale account of Levy of:

| | 1941 | 1940 | 1939 | 1938 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Taxes sold to Town | \$169.80 | \$350.70 | \$146.58 | \$130.62 |
| 12% interest collected after sale.. | ..... | 7.40 | ..... | ..... |
| | <u>\$169.80</u> | <u>\$358.10</u> | <u>\$146.58</u> | <u>\$130.62</u> |
| Remittances to treasurer during year ..... | ..... | \$259.59 | ..... | ..... |
| Deeded to Town during year..... | ..... | 51.27 | \$140.13 | \$130.62 |
| Unredeemed taxes at close of year.. | <u>\$169.80</u> | <u>47.24</u> | <u>6.45</u> | <u>.....</u> |
| | \$169.80 | \$358.10 | \$146.58 | \$130.62 |

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

On Account of Levies of

| | 1941 | 1940 | 1939 |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------|--------|
| Emil J. Plant | \$34.53 | ..... | ..... |
| Horace St. John | 26.14 | ..... | ..... |
| Charles E. West | 12.00 | ..... | ..... |
| John F. Hartford heirs | 6.65 | 8.19 | ..... |
| Thirza B. Hathaway | 33.82 | ..... | ..... |
| Hilda W. Kelley | 30.46 | ..... | ..... |
| Laurence S. Philbrick | 6.97 | 6.66 | \$6.45 |
| Samuel B. Stevens heirs | 5.96 | ..... | ..... |
| Nellie G. Lake Est. | 6.97 | ..... | ..... |
| Robert C. Wiggin | 6.30 | 6.05 | ..... |
| Chris Sanborn ..... | ..... | 28.02 | ..... |
| Charles A. Willey ..... | ..... | 4.37 | ..... |

LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL,

Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1941 | \$3,317.15 |
| Received from all sources | 20,942.38 |
| | <hr/> \$24,259.53 |
| Payments made on Selectmen's orders | 20,102.53 |
| | <hr/> |
| Cash on hand February 1, 1942 | \$4,157.00 |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|------------------|
| Due School District balance 1941 appropriations | \$3,000.00 |
| Due School District 1941 dog licenses | 169.60 |
| Unexpended balance in Town Treasury (S. A. Y. construction | 4.34 |
| | <hr/> \$3,173.94 |

ASSETS

| | |
|---|------------------|
| Cash on hand, February 1, 1942 | \$4,157.00 |
| Taxes bought by town 1941 | 169.80 |
| Unexpended balance state treasury S.A.Y. | 8.70 |
| Uncollected poll taxes, 24 at \$2.00 | 48.00 |
| | <hr/> \$4,383.50 |
| Less total liabilities | 3,173.94 |
| | <hr/> \$1,209.56 |

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Property taxes, 1941 | \$17,880.18 |
| Poll taxes, 1941 | 626.00 |
| Property and Poll taxes, previous years | 107.83 |
| Property redemption | 216.33 |
| Interest and charges on taxes | 17.25 |

From State:

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Interest and dividend tax | 309.03 |
| Railroad tax | 21.46 |
| Savings bank tax | 278.58 |
| Highway Dept. | 4.34 |
| Forest Department | 9.69 |
| Cancer Commission | 26.25 |

From Other Sources:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Rent of town hall | 165.00 |
| Dog licenses | 179.60 |
| Candidates filing fees | 6.00 |
| Pool table licenses | 15.00 |
| Registration of motor vehicles 1941 | 797.77 |
| One cemetery lot | 25.00 |
| One payment on cemetery lot | 5.00 |
| Balance of memorial fund | 16.83 |
| Wood sold | 72.00 |
| Old iron sold | 8.70 |
| Use of Fire Truck | 28.50 |
| E. C. Jackson, rent | 10.00 |
| Refunds due the town | 84.34 |
| Town map sold | 3.50 |
| Supplies sold | 9.35 |

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|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Nat. Bank Stock tax | 5.45 |
| Donations to fire Department | 13.40 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$20,942.38 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| General Government: | |
| Town officers' salaries | \$525.00 |
| Town officers' expenses | 449.57 |
| Election and registration | 57.00 |
| Town hall expenses | 549.57 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | |
| Police Department | 76.33 |
| Fire Department | 373.99 |
| Forest Fires | 30.53 |
| Health Department: | |
| Health officers' expenses | 18.65 |
| Vital statistics | 15.00 |
| Highways and Bridges: | |
| Town maintenance | 1,308.75 |
| Street lighting | 247.56 |
| General expenses | 553.56 |
| Education: | |
| Public library | 83.25 |
| Charities: | |
| Town poor | 684.84 |
| Old age assistance | 810.01 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | |
| Memorial Day | 150.00 |
| Other purposes | 21.00 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | |
| Cemeteries | 79.00 |

Unclassified:

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Taxes bought by town | 189.80 |
| Damages and legal expenses | 307.35 |

New construction and improvements:

| | |
|---|----------|
| State aid construction of highway | 36.05 |
| Class V | 241.92 |
| Bridges | 4,578.36 |
| Fire Dept. tank truck | 258.45 |

Payments to other government divisions:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Schools 1940 balance | 1,000.00 |
| Schools dog tax 1940 | 170.30 |
| Schools on 1940 appropriation | 4,007.00 |
| County tax | 2,810.22 |

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries:

| | |
|--|----------|
| George A. Bassett, Selectman | \$116.60 |
| Albert G. Fuller, Selectman | 82.00 |
| E. Abbott Beede, Selectman | 57.40 |
| William T. Shannon, Clerk | 25.00 |
| George E. Beede, Treasurer | 30.00 |
| Laurence A. Pettingill | 100.00 |
| Albert G. Fuller, Overseer of Poor | 35.00 |
| Eugene D. Sanborn, Moderator | 5.00 |
| Lula M. Ball, Auditor | 6.00 |
| Robert W. Smith, Police | 5.00 |
| Blanche M. Marcotte, Librarian | 38.60 |
| Bertha H. Stevenson, librarian | 14.40 |
| James I. LeClair, Dog Officer | 10.00 |

\$525.00

Town Officers' Expenses:

| | |
|--|--------|
| John W. A. Green, Recording Deeds | \$3.00 |
| —————, Copying Records | 7.60 |
| State of N. H. Engrossing fee | .75 |
| The Clarke Press, Printing town reports | 118.89 |
| Sargent Bros., Printing Ballots | 6.50 |
| Sargent Bros., Stationery and Supplies | 11.10 |
| George Wood, Telephone expenses | 1.90 |
| Eugene D. Sanborn, Officers bonds | 55.00 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., Supplies | 1.15 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, Tax laws | 4.00 |
| Ruth G. Fuller, Copying invoice book | 5.00 |
| Eugene D. Sanborn, Expense Forest Trust Funds | 5.00 |

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|---|----------|
| Wheeler & Clark, Supplies | 22.60 |
| William T. Shannon, Clerk: | |
| Auto registration fees | 78.75 |
| Other fees, notices | 5.50 |
| Postage & Supplies | 5.70 |
| Association Dues | 2.00 |
| Copying records | 5.00 |
| Wheeler & Clark, Clerk supplies | 21.99 |
| U.S. Auto guide | 4.05 |
| George E. Beede, Treasurer: | |
| Postage | .59 |
| Laurence A. Pettingill, Collector: | |
| Attending collectors' meetings 2 | 8.00 |
| Postage | 5.10 |
| Poll tax bills | 2.55 |
| Exceptional expenses, allowed | 7.00 |
| E. Abbott Beede, Selectman: | |
| Use of Car | 7.10 |
| Albert G. Fuller, Selectman and Overseer of Poor: | |
| Use of Car | 12.75 |
| Postage | 1.29 |
| Meals | 2.75 |
| Telephone | 8.10 |
| George A. Bassett, Selectman: | |
| Use of Car | 18.20 |
| Meals | 1.25 |
| Telephone | 1.65 |
| Postage | .78 |
| George E. Beede, postage | 6.98 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$449.57 |

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

| | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|
| Arthur A. Davies, Supervision | \$15.00 |
| Curtice S. Sanborn, Supervision | 15.00 |
| Lee B. Moulton, Supervision | 15.00 |
| Lyman S. Hooke, ballot clerk | 3.00 |
| Carrie H. Gove, ballot clerk | 3.00 |
| Sarah L. Clement, ballot clerk | 3.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$54.00 |

TOWN HALL

| | |
|---|----------|
| Hamel's Iron Works, fire escape installed | \$270.50 |
| Lee B. Moulton, janitor | 107.64 |
| New Hampshire Gas & Electric Co. | 28.62 |
| William T. Shannon, repairs | 1.60 |
| H. J. Lawler Est. | 3.66 |
| Howard Gove, building screens | 17.80 |
| Spaulding & Frost Co., wood | 3.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$432.82 |
| Richard A. Kenny, repairs old meeting house .. | 10.75 |

Wood:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Charles G. Healey, cutting wood 9 cords | 18.00 |
| Marion T. Bassett, standing wood | 13.00 |
| Herbert Green, cutting wood 11 cords | 33.00 |
| Sylvester A. Sanborn, hauling 14 cords wood.. | 24.50 |
| Arthur S. Moore, sawing & housing wood | 17.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$106.00 |

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|----------------------------------|-------|
| Received from sale of wood | 72.00 |
|----------------------------------|-------|

POLICE DEPARTMENT

| | |
|---|---------|
| Robert W. Smith, Chief | \$21.00 |
| Use of Auto | 21.30 |
| Telephone and extension bills | 6.95 |
| H. J. Lawler Est., Feeding tramps | 13.48 |

| | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| John B. Varick Co., Supplies | 12.60 |
| James I. Le Clair, Killing dog | 1.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$76.33 |

FIRE DEPARTMENT

| | |
|---|---------|
| Forest Fire Department: | |
| Robert W. Smith, Posting notices, etc. | \$19.38 |
| Forest Fire, East side Ellis land | 11.15 |
| C. Merton Healy, fire | 39.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$69.53 |

| | |
|--|--------|
| Appropriation for Department | 300.00 |
| Robert W. Smith, plank for truck ... | \$2.50 |
| Spaulding & Frost Co., supplies | 2.80 |
| Robert W. Smith, labor, expenses .. | 4.93 |
| New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., installing phone | 3.49 |
| Dona Lessard, painting fire house | 17.80 |
| Lyman S. Hooke, insurance, fire house | 53.13 |
| H. J. Lawler's estate, paint | 4.20 |
| Blanchard Association, equipment .. | 1.15 |
| Justin A. McCarthy Co., hose & hook | 117.00 |
| State of New Hampshire, Forestry Dept., equipment | 76.10 |
| Heseltons Garage, gas and oil for fire truck | 14.66 |
| Heselton's Garage, labor and repairs | 6.70 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 304.46 |
| Received for use of equipment | 28.50 |
| Appropriation for water Supply | 200.00 |

Expended:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Howard S. Gove, 1½ ton Chevrolet truck | \$125.00 |
| F. J. Bean, water tank for truck | 15.00 |
| Heselton's Garage, tires, tubes, labor | 62.68 |

| | |
|---|-------|
| Heselon's Garage, overhauling truck | 50.92 |
| Spaulding & Frost Co., repairs to truck | 4.85 |

\$258.45

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Frank M. Davis, Health Officer

| | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Labor and expense | \$18.65 |
|-------------------------|---------|

VITAL STATISTICS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| William T. Shannon, 60 at .25 | \$15.00 |
|-------------------------------------|---------|

STREET LIGHTING

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|-------------------------------|----------|
| N. H. Gas & Electric Co. | \$247.56 |
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TOWN MAINTENANCE

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|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$1,500.00 |
| Expenditures | 1,308.75 |
| Sylvester A. Sanborn, foreman | \$20.80 |
| Curtice S. Sanborn, foreman | 1.80 |
| Curtice S. Sanborn, truck | 76.00 |
| Sylvester A. Sanborn, truck | 466.20 |
| Sylvester A. Sanborn, team | 14.00 |
| Curtice S. Sanborn, materials | 1.80 |
| G. A. Bassett, truck | 110.60 |
| G. A. Bassett, team | 23.00 |
| G. A. Bassett, sand | 6.60 |
| Henry Metevier, labor | 82.00 |
| Eugene Wood, labor | 63.80 |
| Clifton Perry, labor | 22.60 |
| Franklin Perry, labor | 19.80 |
| George Rogers, Jr., labor | 7.90 |
| Nelson Goldsmith, labor | 3.60 |
| Bernard Clement, labor | 4.00 |
| Harold Davies, labor | 3.40 |

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| David Leavitt, labor | 2.40 |
| Howard French, labor | 37.40 |
| Carroll West, labor | 17.40 |
| Allan Capp, labor | 4.00 |
| Roscoe Holmes, labor | .80 |
| Merton Healy, labor | 1.20 |
| Oliver Healey, labor | 1.20 |
| James Porter, labor | 1.60 |
| Minerva Robinson, gravel | 1.40 |
| Ada R. Sanborn, gravel | 1.00 |
| Clyde Bishop, labor | 1.20 |
| H. F. Richards, labor | 1.20 |
| Virgil Davis, labor | 10.80 |
| Arthur Moore, labor | 93.60 |
| Richard Kenney, labor | 46.60 |
| Howard Tuttle, labor | 62.60 |
| Emery Porter, labor | 90.40 |
| L. S. Hooke, gravel | 2.50 |
| F. A. George, paint and oil | .60 |
| Clarence Davis, gravel | 1.00 |
| S. A. Sanborn, gravel and cement .. | 1.95 |

\$1,308.75

Apportionment:

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|--------------------|----------|
| Labor | \$592.90 |
| Plowing snow | 113.80 |
| Trucking | 548.80 |
| Teams | 37.00 |
| Materials | 16.25 |

\$1,308.75

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

| | |
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| Appropriation | \$500.00 |
| Expended | 553.56 |
| R. C. Hazelton Co., snow plow repairs | \$51.00 |
| Davis Garage, labor, rep. to snow plow and grader .. | 21.38 |

Merrimack Farmers Exchange:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Paint | 13.50 |
| Shovels and hoe | 10.17 |
| Cement | 1.50 |
| H. J. Lawlor Est., bridge paint | 8.24 |
| Roscoe Holmes, painting bridges | 21.20 |
| S. A. Sanborn, painting bridges | 4.40 |
| Henry Metevier, painting bridges | 5.60 |
| Wm. G. Shannon, painting signs | 2.75 |
| L. S. Hooke, fire premium on tractor | 3.75 |
| State Highway Garage, pipe | 22.60 |
| Heselton's Garage, labor and supplies | 20.53 |
| American Tar Company, tar | 253.25 |

Ray Road Equipment:

| | |
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| Grader Blades | 20.00 |
| Sander | 85.00 |
| Dyar Sales and Machinery Co., blades | 8.69 |

\$553.56

LIBRARY

Paid:

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|---|---------|
| Library Trustees, Bertha H. Stevenson, Tr. .. | \$50.00 |
| N. H. Gas and Electric Co. | 12.00 |
| Milzer O. Stevens care of Library Elms | 7.00 |
| E. M. Mills, repairing ceiling | 14.25 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$83.25 |

CHARITIES

Arthur Billings:

| | |
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| H. J. Lawler Est., groceries | \$67.69 |
| H. B. Wilbur, milk | 9.81 |
| Henry Metevier, transportation to clinic | 2.50 |
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| | \$80.02 |

Edmund LaVoie:

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| Mitchell Memorial Hospital, hospitalization .. | 148.56 |
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|---|----------|
| Fremont Dairy, milk | 39.69 |
| F. A. George Co., groceries | 31.90 |
| S. A. Sanborn, wood | 4.95 |
| J. H. Ellis, shoes | 2.95 |
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| | \$228.05 |
| John T. J. Achou: | |
| F. B. Emerson, groceries | 35.21 |
| State Cancer Commission, treating | 27.25 |
| S. A. Sanborn, wood | 3.00 |
| F. A. George Co., medicine | .80 |
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| | \$66.26 |
| Charles West: | |
| Rockingham County Farm, board | \$240.00 |
| F. A. George Co., groceries | 26.51 |
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| | \$266.51 |
| Clara Tuttle: | |
| Rockingham County Farm, board | \$23.00 |
| Dr. Montgomery, committing fee | 10.00 |
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| | \$33.00 |
| Dr. Fernald, committing fee, Irma Denyou | \$5.00 |
| Rockingham County, groceries for Charles Healey | 6.00 |
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| Total Expenditures | \$684.84 |

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

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| Paid by town | \$810.01 |
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MEMORIAL DAY

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|---|----------|
| Appropriation | \$150.00 |
| Collection and receipts from dinner | 29.39 |
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| | \$179.39 |

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| Received from Church Committee | 21.00 |
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\$200.39

Payments:

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| Freeman B. Emerson, groceries | 12.56 |
| John H. Ellis, groceries | 2.84 |
| F. A. George Co., groceries | 2.95 |
| H. J. Lawler Estate, groceries | 16.16 |
| Cora St. John, labor | 4.00 |
| George A. Bassett, milk | .50 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone | 1.05 |
| Freeman B. Emerson, flags | 7.50 |
| Rev. LeRoy Crosby, speaker | 15.00 |
| Homer F. Soule, band | 100.00 |

\$162.56

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| W. P. A. Band | 21.00 |
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\$183.56

Unexpended balance of appropriation:

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| Returned to Treasurer | 16.83 |
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CARE OF CEMETERIES

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| Appropriation | \$75.00 |
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| Howard Tuttle, labor | \$17.60 |
| Emery Porter, labor | 9.60 |
| S. A. Sanborn, labor | 22.40 |
| F. Perry, labor | 3.20 |
| A. S. Moore, labor | 6.40 |
| Eugene West, labor | 6.40 |
| R. Kenney, labor | 7.00 |
| Fred George, labor | 6.40 |

\$79.00

UNCLASSIFIED

Abatements:

1941 Polls:

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| Annie Archibald, residence unknown | \$2.00 |
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|---|----------|
| Fred R. George, over 70 | 2.00 |
| George B. Little, over 70 | 2.00 |
| 1940 Polls: | |
| Alice M. Hayes, paid in Epping | 2.00 |
| John T. J. Schou, deceased | 2.00 |
| S. Gardner Sleeper, Jr., paid in Berlin | 2.00 |
| Oscar St. John, paid in Auburn | 2.00 |
| Alice West, non compus mentus | 2.00 |
| 1939 Polls: | |
| Oscar St. John, paid in Auburn | 2.00 |
| Irma M. Denyon, non compus mentus | 2.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$20.00 |
| <i>Taxes bought by town:</i> Paid Treasurer | 169.80 |
| Emile J. Plant | \$34.53 |
| Horace St. John | 26.14 |
| Charles E. West | 12.00 |
| John L. Hartford, Heirs | 6.65 |
| Thirza B. Hathway | 33.82 |
| Hilda W. Kelly | 30.46 |
| Laurence S. Philbrick | 6.97 |
| Samuel B. Stevens, Heirs | 5.96 |
| Nellie G. Lake Estate | 6.97 |
| Robert C. Wiggin | 6.30 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$169.80 |

DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES

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| Carl Walker, Surveyor, running boundaries etc. | \$237.76 |
| Freeman Smill, assistant to Mr. Walker | 67.60 |
| Rockingham Farmers' Mutual Fire Ins. Co. | 1.79 |
| Arthur Clement | .20 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$307.35 |

STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

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| Completion of 1940 Construction on Sandown Road | |
| Unexpended balance in State Treasury | \$72.09 |
| Unexpended balance in Town Treasury | 36.05 |
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| Total unexpended balance from 1940 appropriation | \$108.14 |
| Expenditures: | |
| State of N. H., tarring | \$63.39 |
| Town | 31.71 |
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| | \$95.10 |
| Unexpended balance, Town | 4.34 |
| Unexpended balance, State | 8.70 |
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| | \$13.04 |

CLASS V HIGHWAY T. R. A.

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|-----------------------------|------------|
| Total Appropriation | \$1,209.61 |
| State's appropriation | \$967.69 |
| Town's appropriation | 241.92 |

Expenditures:

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|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Curtice S. Sanborn, Foreman | \$111.60 |
| Curtice S. Sanborn, truck | 214.80 |
| George A. Bassett, truck | 147.60 |
| Sylvester A. Sanborn, truck | 118.80 |
| Herman Bishop, labor | 6.40 |
| Clyde E. Bishop, labor | 71.60 |
| Virgil Davis, labor | 73.20 |
| Howard Tuttle, labor | 8.40 |
| R. A. Kenney, labor | 71.60 |
| Harry E. Richards, labor | 64.00 |
| Emery W. Porter, labor | 32.80 |
| Oliver Healey, labor | 17.20 |
| Arthur Moore, labor | 42.80 |
| Richard Simpson, labor | 67.20 |

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| Rutledge West, labor | 17.20 |
| Wyman Smith, labor | 3.20 |
| Spaulding & Frost Co., gravel | 36.10 |
| L. S. Hooke, gravel | 8.80 |
| Mary A. Willey, gravel | 8.30 |
| John H. Ellis, gravel | 2.50 |
| State Highway Dept., use of grader | 85.50 |
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| | \$1,209.60 |

NEW BRIDGE—Basset Road

Built by the Town of Fremont under the supervision of the New Hampshire Highway Department.

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|--|----------|
| Jesse Metcalf, Supervisor 64 hrs. at \$1.19 248 | |
| hrs. at \$1.25 | \$386.16 |
| Jesse Metcalf, Traveling Expenses—Use of car | |
| 664 Miles at .05 | 33.20 |
| Labor, Mostly outside help | 1,795.38 |
| Davis Bros. Garage, Unloading steel 5 hrs. at \$2.50 | 12.50 |
| State of New Hampshire, Use of Equipment | |
| Water Pumps | 30.00 |
| State of New Hampshire, Use of Equipment, | |
| Mixer | 75.00 |
| Fremont Depot Filling Station, Lumber, gas | |
| kerosene, oil, etc. | 45.41 |
| John B. Varicks, Nails, wire, and supplies | 41.33 |
| Heselton's Garage, Labor & parts for pump | 2.76 |
| Sanel Auto Parts, Goggles | 2.50 |
| Concord Lumber Company, Pipe | .60 |
| Percy Wadleigh, Lumber, trucking, etc. | 14.00 |
| Walter R. Turner, Turning & refinishing, labor | 1.50 |
| Henry J. Lawler's Estate, Shellac & Brushes .. | 5.40 |
| Charles E. Flanders, 27 loads of gravel at .10 .. | 2.70 |
| George A. Bassett, 144 Loads of gravel at .05 .. | 7.20 |
| Scott Supply Company, Reinforced Steel P. O... | 295.69 |
| Bethlehem Steel Company, I Beams P. O. | 699.90 |
| E. J. York, Cement | 481.88 |
| Manchester Sand & Gravel Co. | 271.75 |

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| Highway Garage, Expansion Material, H. Posts, Trucking, etc. | 134.20 |
| Curtice S. Sanborn, Highway Agent, Grading approaches | 205.30 |
| Lyman S. Hooke, Insurance on men | 34.00 |
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| Total Cost of Bridge | 4,578.36 |
| Estimated cost of Bridge | \$5,000.00 |
| 1941 Appropriation | 3,000.00 |
| Balance to be borrowed by the Selectmen, and to to be taken care of in the 1942 appropriation.. | 1,578.36 |

REPORT OF FIRE WARDEN

In submitting my annual report as Fire Warden, it is again a pleasure to say that we did not have any bad brush fires during 1941.

The reason for not having any bad fires was due to the men getting to the fires and getting them out before they got a good start.

We must be ready again this year because we have a greater amount of slash in town than we have had before. If a fire got a good start on a windy day it might take the whole Town.

We must be careful and anyone having brush to burn should do so before the snow is all gone.

Anyone using incinerators should cover them with a wire screen of not less than six wires to the inch. This is the new law and should be obeyed.

ROBERT W. SMITH

REPORT OF JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

I have received for rental of the Town Hall for the year as follows:

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|---|----------|
| 28 Grange meetings including Pomona, District meeting and special meeting at \$2.50 | \$70.00 |
| 15 Rehearsals, Grange, Schools, Clubs, at \$2.00 | 30.00 |
| 2 Duke and His Swing Billies at \$5.00 | 10.00 |
| 1 Farm Bureau meeting and supper at \$3.00.. | 3.00 |
| 1 National Defense nutrition meeting at \$1.50 | 1.50 |
| 1 School Entertainment at \$3.00 | 3.00 |
| 7 Penny Suppers at \$1.50 | 10.50 |
| 1 Lawn Party Lights at \$1.00 | 1.00 |
| 1 Penny Supper and Pictures Community Club and Church at \$3.00 | 3.00 |
| 1 Kid Carson Show at \$5.00 | 5.00 |
| 2 Grange Fairs at \$2.50 | 5.00 |
| 1 Meating Canning Demonstration at \$1.50 .. | 1.50 |
| 1 Harvest Dinner and Supper and Norman Leavitt's Chows at \$3.00 | 3.00 |
| 1 Hallowe'en Party at \$2.50 | 2.50 |
| 1 Neighbors Night Community Club at \$3.00.. | 3.00 |
| 1 Firemen's Ball at \$1.50 | 1.50 |
| 1 4-H Party | 3.00 |
| 1 Christmas Tree Church | 3.00 |
| 1 Duke and His Swing Billies Home and Community Welfare of Grange at \$2.50 | 2.50 |
| 1 Christmas Sale Community Club at \$3.00 .. | 3.00 |
| | \$165.00 |

The hall has been opened without charge for Selectmen Supervisors, School Meeting, Town Meeting, Memorial Day, Schools, Red Cross and Defense Meetings.

Respectfully submitted

LEE B. MOULTON,
Janitor.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Highway Agent, Forest Fire Warden, Janitor of the Town Hall and the Trustee of the Trust Funds of the Town of Fremont for the fiscal year ending January 31st, 1942 and find them correct and supported by proper vouchers. All funds and evidences of funds were tabulated and found as represented

LULA M. BALL,
Auditor.

Fremont, N. H., February 14, 1942.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Total number of books | 3382 |
| Total number of cards | 137 |
| Issued during the year | 14 |
| Circulation | 2967 |
| Cash on hand February 1, 1941 | 3.79 |
| Received for fines | 8.83 |

\$12.62

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| Paid incidental expenses | \$10.39 |
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| Cash on hand February 1, 1942 | \$2.23 |
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BERTHA H. STEVENSON,
Librarian.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES REPORT

| | |
|---|---------|
| Received from Selectmen | \$75.00 |
| Received from Librarian for fines | 2.23 |

\$77.23

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|------------------------------------|---------|
| Paid for Books and magazines | \$63.82 |
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| Paid for cleaning and supplies | 10.20 |
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\$74.02

\$74.02

\$3.21

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| Returned money for fines to Librarian | 2.23 |
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| Cash on hand February 1, 1942 | .98 |
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BERTHA H. STEVENSON,
Chairman of Library Trustees.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Fremont, N. H., on January 31, 1942

| Date of Creation | TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE of CREATION | HOW INVESTED | Amount of Principal | Rate of Interest | Balance of Income on Hand at Begin- ning of Year | Income During Year | Expended During Year | Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year |
|---------------------|---|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|
| | | | | | | | | |
| 1873 Aug. 23 | The Sarah A. Chase, "Universalist Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | \$500.00 | 2 1/2 % | \$6.28 | \$12.61 | \$12.61 | \$6.28 |
| | | Manchester Savings Bank | 500.00 | 2 1/2 % | 6.28 | 12.61 | 12.61 | 6.28 |
| Aug. 23 | The Sarah A. Chase, "Worthy Poor Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 700.00 | 2 1/2 % | 40.48 | 18.61 | 3.93 | 55.16 |
| | | Manchester Savings Bank | 696.71 | 2 1/2 % | 31.07 | 17.74 | 23.88 | 24.93 |
| 1915 Dec. 15 | The Mary R. Chase "Cemetery Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2 1/2 % | 5.34 | 2.64 | ..... | 7.98 |
| 1917 May 31 | The Josiah B. Robinson "Method- ist Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 1,300.00 | 2 1/2 % | 16.25 | 32.70 | 32.70 | 16.25 |
| | | Manchester Savings Bank | 1,200.00 | 2 1/2 % | 15.00 | 30.19 | 30.19 | 15.00 |
| May 31 | The Aaron J. Robinson "Cemetery Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 2,000.00 | 2 1/2 % | 14.12 | 50.67 | 46.95 | 17.84 |
| | | New Hampshire Savings Bank... | 762.70 | 2 % | 68.78 | 16.62 | 10.44 | 74.96 |
| 1920 May 1 | The Mary Susan Higgins "Method- ist Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 2,000.00 | 2 1/2 % | 25.00 | 50.31 | 50.31 | 25.00 |
| Nov. 3 | The Mary Susan Higgins "Ceme- tery Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2 1/2 % | 22.46 | 3.07 | 8.00 | 17.53 |
| 1923 Aug. 22 | The Elizabeth A. Scribner "Ceme- tery Fund", | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 300.00 | 2 1/2 % | 103.15 | 10.14 | 11.90 | 101.39 |

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|------------------|---|-------------------------------|--------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| 1926 Sept. 9 | The George W. Robie "Cemetery Fund" | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2½ % | 27.02 | 5.70 | 10.40 | 22.32 |
| 1928 April 1 | The James W. Burlleigh "Cemetery Fund" | Mechanics Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2½ % | 17.97 | 2.95 | ..... | 20.92 |
| Oct. 1 | The Frank D. Rowe "Cemetery Fund" | Mechanics Savings Bank | 250.00 | 2½ % | 16.60 | 6.75 | 7.20 | 16.15 |
| 1933 Nov. 24 | The Horace G. & Arthur R. Whit- tier "Cemetery Fund" | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2½ % | 8.87 | 5.24 | 5.90 | 8.21 |
| 1935 Sept. 23 | The Wilcomb H. Benfield "Ceme- tery Fund" | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2½ % | ..... | 2.51 | 2.45 | .06 |
| Nov. 26 | The Jonathan A. Robinson "Ceme- tery Fund" | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2½ % | ..... | 2.51 | 2.90 | ..... |
| 1939 Sept. 15 | The Albert J. and Amon O. Benfield "Cemetery Fund" | Mechanics Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2½ % | ..... | 5.06 | 4.50 | .56 |

CLIFTON H. BEEDE,
ALBERT G. FULLER,
EUGENE D. SANBORN.

Trustees of Trust Funds.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS OF TRUST FUNDS

| | |
|---|---------|
| The Sarah A. Chase "Universalist Fund": | |
| Lula M. Ball, Treasurer Universalist Society | \$25.22 |
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| The Sarah A. Chase "Worthy Poor Fund": | |
| Freeman B. Emerson, aid furnished one family | 23.88 |
| Freeman B. Emerson, aid furnished one family | 3.93 |
| | |
| The Josiah B. Robinson "Methodist Fund": | |
| Nellie P. Bassett, Treasurer, People's M. E. Church | 62.89 |
| | |
| The Aaron J. Robinson "Cemetery Fund": | |
| Melvin P. Leavitt, labor | 35.60 |
| Melvin P. Leavitt, paint | 3.10 |
| Bartlett Greenhouses, plants and flowers | 8.25 |
| Walter H. Lyford, labor, Sleeper yard | 4.50 |
| Walter H. Lyford, paint, Sleeper yard | 5.94 |
| | |
| The Mary Susan Higgins "Methodist Fund": | |
| Nellie P. Bassett, Treasurer, Peoples M. E. Church | 50.31 |
| | |
| The Mary Susan Higgins "Cemetery Fund": | |
| Kenneth Rowe, plants | 1.25 |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | .75 |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 5.20 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | .80 |
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| The Elizabeth A. Scribner, "Cemetery Fund": | |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 7.50 |
| S. A. Sanborn, labor | .20 |

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|--|------|
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | 1.80 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | 1.20 |
| Bartlett Greenhouse, plants | 1.20 |
| The George W. Robie "Cemetery Fund": | |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | 1.80 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | 1.60 |
| W. J. Philbrick, labor | .20 |
| Kenneth Rowe, plants | 1.00 |
| S. A. Sanborn, labor | .20 |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 5.60 |
| The Frank D. Rowe "Cemetery Fund": | |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 5.70 |
| S. A. Sanborn, labor | .20 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | .40 |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | .90 |
| The Horace G. and Arthur R. Whittier "Cemetery Fund": | |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 1.80 |
| William J. Philbrick, labor | 3.00 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | .80 |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | .30 |
| The Wilcomb H. Benfield "Cemetery Fund": | |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 1.80 |
| S. A. Sanborn, labor | .10 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | .40 |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | .15 |
| The Jonathan A. Robinson "Cemetery Fund": | |
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 1.60 |
| S. A. Sanborn, labor | .10 |
| William J. Philbrick, labor | .45 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | .60 |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | .15 |

The Albert J. and Amon O. Benfield "Cemetery
Fund":

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| E. D. Sanborn, labor | 3.40 |
| C. S. Sanborn, labor | .80 |
| William J. Philbrick, labor | .15 |
| Nelson C. Goldsmith, labor | .15 |

CLIFTON H. BEEDE,
ALBERT G. FULLER,
EUGENE D. SANBORN,

Trustees Trust Funds.

Annual Reports

OF THE

Officers

OF THE

Fremont School District

For the Year

July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941

OFFICERS OF FREMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT

1941-1942

School Board

MRS. ETHEL L. McINTOSH, Term expires 1944

MRS. DOROTHY T. SANBORN, Term expires 1942

MR. LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL, Term expires 1943

Superintendent of Schools

H. RAYMOND DANFORTH, M.Ed.

Treasurer

GEORGE E. BEEDE

Moderator

EUGENE D. SANBORN

Clerk

BERTHA L. TRUE

Auditor

FLORENCE A. GEORGE

Attendance Officer

ROBERT W. SMITH

Enumerator

DOROTHY T. SANBORN

School Nurse

CONSTANCE COOPER, R. N.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of
Fremont qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Fremont Town Hall, in said district, on the 9th day of March, 1942, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years, and fill any vacancies.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

ETHEL L. McINTOSH,
DOROTHY T. SANBORN,
LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL,
School Board of Fremont.

SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

From July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943

Support of Schools:

| | |
|---|------------|
| Teachers' Salaries | \$3,785.00 |
| Text Books | 150.00 |
| Scholars' Supplies | 150.00 |
| Flags and Appurtenances | 5.00 |
| Other Expenses of Instruction | 20.00 |
| Janitor Service | 150.00 |
| Fuel.. .. | 200.00 |
| Water, Light, Janitor's Supplies | 100.00 |
| Minor Repairs and Expenses | 250.00 |
| Health Supervision (Medical Inspection) ... | 165.00 |
| Transportation of Pupils | 900.00 |
| Other Special Activities | 25.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5,900.00 |

Other Statutory Requirements:

| | |
|---|------------|
| Salaries of District Officers | \$120.00 |
| Truant Officer and School Census | 25.00 |
| Payment of Tuition in High Schools & Acad- emies | 2,700.00 |
| Superintendent's Excess Salary | 140.00 |
| Per Capita Tax | 194.00 |
| Administration | 50.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3,229.00 |

Total amount required to meet School Board's

| | |
|--------------|------------------|
| Budget | <hr/> \$9,129.00 |
|--------------|------------------|

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

| | |
|---|------------|
| Balance June 30, 1942 (Estimate) | \$700.00 |
| State Aid (December 1942 Allotment) | 1,800.00 |
| Dog Tax (Estimate) | 150.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Deduct Total Estimated Income | \$2,650.00 |
| Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget | 6,479.00 |
| Total Assessment Required to Cover Budget and Appropriations | 6,479.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

ETHEL L. McINTOSH,
DOROTHY T. SANBORN,
LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL,
School Board of Fremont.

Fremont, N. H., February 14, 1942.

SCHOOL BOARD'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT

July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|------------|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1940 | \$ 139.65 |
| Equilization Fund | 1,794.10 |
| District tax for: | |
| Support of Elementary schools | 3,751.12 |
| Payment of high school and academy tuitions | 2,472.88 |
| Salaries of district officers | 115.00 |
| Payment of per capita tax | 218.00 |
| Balance of previous appropriations | 1,000.00 |
| Dog licenses | 153.80 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total Receipts | \$9,644.55 |

PAYMENTS

District Officers' Salaries:

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Ethel L. MacIntosh | \$40.00 |
| Dorothy T. Sanborn | 30.00 |
| Laurence A. Pettengill | 30.00 |
| George E. Beede | 10.00 |
| Bertha L. True | 3.00 |
| Florence A. George | 2.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| | \$115.00 |

Teachers' Salaries:

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Clara Towle | \$900.00 |
| Helen Noyes | 900.00 |
| Lula M. Ball | 900.00 |
| Blanche Gauthier | 900.00 |
| Jean Beaton (music) | 173.34 |
| <hr/> | |
| | \$3,773.34 |
| Superintendent's Salary | 137.50 |

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|---|------------|
| Truant officers and school census | 25.00 |
| Expenses of administration | 39.68 |
| Textbooks | 131.08 |
| Scholars' Supplies | 114.79 |
| Other Expenses of instruction | 17.55 |
| Janitor service: | |
| Robert Metevier | \$36.00 |
| Richard Beachard | 36.00 |
| Walter Moulton | 36.00 |
| Robert McIntosh | 36.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 144.00 |
| Fuel | 157.75 |
| Water, light, janitor's supplies | 106.75 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 161.17 |
| Medical inspection | 164.22 |
| Transportation of pupils: | |
| Albert G. Fuller | 877.50 |
| High school and academy tuition | 2,472.88 |
| Other special activities | 33.50 |
| \$2.00 per capita | 218.00 |
| Lands and new buildings | 251.25 |
| New equipment | 13.51 |
| Cash on hand June 30, 1941 | 690.08 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Payments | \$9,644.55 |

H. RAYMOND DANFORTH,

Superintendent.

ETHEL L. McINTOSH,
DOROTHY T. SANBORN,
LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL,

School Board.

July 1, 1941.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Fremont, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and find them correctly and properly vouched.

FLORENCE A. GEORGE,
Auditor.

July 7, 1941.

REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Year Ending June 30, 1941

| | |
|---|----------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1940 | \$139.65 |
| Received from Selectmen | 6,557.00 |
| Balance from previous appropriation | 1,000.00 |
| Dog tax | 153.80 |
| Received from State Treasurer | 1,794.10 |

| | |
|---|----------|
| Total amount available for fiscal year | 9,644.55 |
| Less School Board orders paid | 8,954.47 |

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|---|----------|
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1941 | 690.08 |
| Balance due from town | 1,000.00 |

Total Assets \$1,690.08

GEORGE E. BEEDE,
District Treasurer.

July 1, 1941

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Fremont, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941 and find them correct in all respects.

July 7, 1941

FLORENCE A. GEORGE,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

To The School Board and Citizens of Fremont:

I herewith submit my third annual report as Superintendent of Schools:

The facts and figures herein presented are for the school year 1940-41 but I shall discuss events which have happened since July 1941, as well as before.

At the time of writing this report, February 1942, our Country, for the second time in a generation, is engaged in a great war. This war is unlike the first of 1914-18, which was a war of aggression on the part of a militaristic European nation, involving a number of countries before the Armistice was signed. World War No. 2 is a world revolution with the major "HAV NOT" nations, ("have not" in the terms of material resources) combined to overpower all the "HAVE" nations, for the purpose of looting and for political domination.

The question arises in our minds, how could a group of nations which were lacking in resources before 1918, and completely disarmed in 1918, ever rise to a position of such tremendous military power in the space of a few short years? The answer is EDUCATION.

A people were sold on an idea that the one way out of their economic want and political instability was through complete subjection to one leader. This is known as the Leader Principle, or the Totalitarian State. Let me urge all of you to read in the February issue of the Reader's Digest the article entitled "Educating for Death" by Gregor Ziemer. In which the picture of how the Nazis have been able to build up and maintain their power is ably portrayed.

The above is simply a brief summary pointing to the importance of Education. There are many trite, but true, sayings which have pointed out this truth for many years, such as, "As the twig is bent, so is the tree inclined", etc., but we must not fail to heed the lesson which we find in the article "Educating for Death", and reversing the ugly purpose, but adopting some of the earnestness of the method, start educating our boys and girls for Life of Democracy.

What I am trying to say is that we must inculcate by precept and example and all of the modern teaching skills available a real enthusiasm for the Democratic Way of Life; a deep and burning patriotism and an undying determination that the basic principles of freedom of speech; freedom of worship; freedom of press, and the equal rights of all before the law, shall be defended unto death.

This type of education can only be done by those who are themselves imbued with a deep feeling for the Democratic Way of Life. This means men and women with character. Hence, it is of tremendous importance that in the stress and strain of fighting this war of wars, we do not lose sight of the importance of the educative process and its meaning in terms of men and women (who are boys and girls today) who will carry on the democracy of to-morrow. We must be careful even if it involves sacrifice on our part, not to lessen the efficiency and effectiveness of our schools. This year the underlying theme of all the teachers in this Union has been Educating for Democracy, and the devices that have been used by the different teachers in doing this have been many and very interesting. The morning exercises have taken on a new meaning; the pledge of allegiance to the Flag is given with a new reverence; the Star Spangled Banner is being sung with a renewed enthusiasm; plays have been given; pieces have been spoken; and in countless ways the meaning of democracy, its great privilege and burdensome responsibilities have been taught. OLD GLORY IS SHINING WITH A RENEWED BRIGHTNESS.

The following is list of those pupils who had perfect attendance:

| | |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Richard Bechard | Arthur Clement |
| Viola Bechard | Alice Putney |
| Nancy Sanborn | Clifton Putney |
| Dorcas Goldsmith | Louella Sanborn |
| Paul Pettengill | Kenneth Hall |
| Shirley Beede | Norman Yates |
| Eleanor Gove | Marion Beane |
| Robert McIntosh | Rae Moulton |

Beverly Smith

The following information gives a brief summary of statistical data about the school year 1940-41:

| | |
|---|-------|
| Average percent of attendance | 96.49 |
| Number pupils enrolled | 85 |
| Average membership | 83.30 |
| Number of graduates | 11 |
| Number attending High School (Sept. 1941) | 28 |
| Visits by School Board | 1 |
| Visits by Superintendent | 147 |
| Visits by School Nurse | 94 |
| Visits by Music Teacher | 108 |
| Visits by others | 137 |

Graduates from the Eighth Grade

| | |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Florence Clark | Nancy Sanborn |
| Eleanor Gove | Elizabeth F. Rock |
| Robert K. McIntosh | Richard Bechard |
| Alberta Peterson | Priscilla Billings |
| Grace Pinet | Barbara Healey |

Mary Porter

In closing, I want to thank the members of the School Board, the teachers, and the parents for their fine cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

H. RAYMOND DANFORTH,
Superintendent of Schools.

HEALTH SUPERVISION

Of the 90 pupils examined during the school year 1940-41, the following cases were found and treatment given :

| | <i>No. of Cases</i> | <i>No. of treatments or defects corrected</i> |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Underweight | 7 | 5 |
| Defective Vision | 6 | 6 |
| Defective Hearing | 1 | 1 |
| Nervous Condition | 2 | 2 |
| Deformity | 2 | 2 |
| Defective Teeth | 41 | 38 |
| Diseased Tonsils | 2 | 2 |
| Defective Breathing | 1 | |
| Adenoids | 2 | 2 |
| Enlarged Glands | 5 | 3 |
| Defective Speech | 2 | 2 |
| Pediculosis | 13 | |
| Skin Diseases | 27 | |

REPORT OF THE DENTAL CLINIC

| | |
|---|-----|
| Number pupils examined by dentist | 41 |
| Number pupils needing extractions | 7 |
| Number pupils with cavities in teeth | 34 |
| Number pupils needing teeth cleaned | 27 |
| Number pupils treated | 38 |
| Total number cleanings | 27 |
| Number pupils receiving complete care | 38 |
| Number pupils receiving free care | 38 |
| Number pupils receiving dental certificates | 38 |
| Total number amalgam fillings | 98 |
| Total number porcelain fillings | 19 |
| Total number treatments | 6 |
| Total number operations | 206 |

The clinic was financed and made possible by contributions from Fremont Grange, and proceeds from the entertainment and supper given by teachers, pupils and the committee of parents.

Thanks go to the American Legion furnishing the Audiometer for this region. All the children in the Fremont schools above the second grade, had their hearing tested.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSTANCE COOPER, R. N

Vital Statistics

Births Registered in the Town of Fremont, N. H., For the Year Ending December 31, 1941

| Date | Place | Name | Sex | 1 or 2 | Father | Birth Place | Mother | Birth Place |
|---------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----|--------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| 1941 | | | | | | | | |
| Feb. 20 | Mitchell Memorial Hospital... | Charles Franklin Burke | M | L | 11 Everett, H. W. Burke | Milton, N. H. | Ora Bell Chase | Skowhegan, Me. |
| Feb. 23 | Mitchell Memorial Hospital... | Clinton Horatio Hutchins, Jr. | M | L | 1 Clinton H. Hutchins | N. Adams, Mass. | Rachel Blaisdell | Epping, N. H. |
| Mar. 21 | Fremont, N. H. | Gordon Donald Copp | M | L | 4 Charles Allen Copp | Brentwood, N. H. | Harriet Elizabeth Hayes | Rochester, N. H. |
| May 11 | Fremont, N. H. | Peter Paul Porter | M | L | 3 Lewis Alfred Porter | Hampden, N. H. | Roseanna I. Bouchard | Brentwood, N. H. |
| June 25 | Mitchell Memorial Hospital... | Leon Farish Holmes | M | L | 3 Maurice L. Holmes | Fremont, N. H. | Alice Irene Lewis | Chester, N. H. |
| June 5 | Exeter, Hospital | Judith May Dole | F | L | 1 Robert F. Dole | Portsmouth, Va. | Louise Avis Schon | Fremont, N. H. |
| July 8 | Fremont, N. H. | Richard Rosco Burleigh | M | L | 12 Jesse Allen Burleigh | Nashua, N. H. | Mabel Edna Holmes | Nashua, N. H. |
| July 25 | Fremont, N. H. | Joan Eartona McDonald | F | L | 6 John Earl McDonald | Lawrence, Mass. | Zelda Elizabeth Shannon | Brentwood, N. H. |
| Oct. 6 | Exeter, Hospital | Jean Faye Metevier | F | L | 1 Urban W. Metevier | Fremont, N. H. | Beatrice L. Anderson | Danville, N. H. |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM T. SHANNON, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Fremont, N. H., For the Year Ending December 31, 1941

| Date | Name | Age Y M D | Birth Place | Sex | Color | Mat. or Sin | Occupation | Father | Mother |
|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| 1941 | | | | | | | | | |
| Feb. | 6 Jane A. Crowther | 91 | 0 N. Salem, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | S Housework | John Crowther | Hannah Ashworth |
| Mch. | 3 Jennie Josephine Hutchins | 55 | 7 13 Candia, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | M Housewife | Joseph Moore | Martha Hartford |
| Mch. | 3 John T. J. Schon | 67 | 9 22 Denmark | ..... | ..... | ..... | M Carpenter | Thomas Schon | Marine Nielson |
| Mch. | 27 Daniel Burleigh | 84 | 7 3 Fremont | ..... | ..... | ..... | M Retired | Carp. Jeremiah Burleigh | Susan P. Heath |
| Mch. | 27 Alice R. Smith | 72 | 4 29 Marblehead, Mass. | ..... | ..... | ..... | F Housewife | William French | Margaret Orn |
| Apr. | 3 David S. French | 53 | 8 19 Chester, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | M RR. Frt Cond. | Samuel T. Harris | Celestina George |
| May | 21 Robert J. Benfield | 86 | 1 28 Chester, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | M Brok. & Mort. | Jermiah Benfield | Cora R.—not known |
| June | 5 Judith May Dole | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Inf. | Robert F. Dole | Louise Schon |
| June | 9 Nellie Leavitt | 76 | 7 Milan, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | W Housewife | Arctus Merrill | Abbie Higgins |
| June 1939 | 12 Coleman C. Reed* | 42 | 2 20 Not given | ..... | ..... | ..... | S Not given | Not given | Not given |
| 1941 | | | | | | | | | |
| Sept. | 7 David P. Leavitt | 67 | 7 24 Fremont, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | S Farmer | David Leavitt | Sarah E. Stevenson |
| Oct. | 9 David Charles Henley | 68 | 2 14 Windham, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | M W Inf. | Wendell Healey | Bernice Hamblette |
| Oct. | 13 Hattie Winifred Yeaton | 85 | 1 Fremont, N. H. | ..... | ..... | ..... | F W Housewife | Simcon D. Burleigh | Elizabeth A. Brown |
| Dec. | 26 Ada Isabel True | 85 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | S Housework | William True | Mary Prescott |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM T. SHANNON,
Town Clerk.

* Cremated June 14, 1939.

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|----------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Sept. 14 | Wells, Me. | Leslie O. Davis | 24 | U. S. Army | Newton Ctr., Mass. | Frank M. Davis | Walter E. Hatch, Notary Public Wells, Maine |
| Nov. 8 | Elm Terrace, Fremont | Kathleen Cummings | 25 | Hospital Emp. | Middleton, N. J. | Blanche Tandy | |
| | | Alfred Walter Martin | 26 | Winder | Heath, Mass. | Carman Cummings | |
| | | Maide Christina Gordon | 29 | At Home | Cambridge, Mass. | Amy Crawford | W. T. Shannon, Minister |
| Dec. 20 | Elm Terrace, Fremont | Charles Herbert Grant | 50 | Laborer | Stratham, N. H. | Marion Rea | Elm Terrace, Fremont, N. H. |
| | | Cora Isabelle Jackman | 49 | Housekeeper | Fremont, N. H. | George G. Gordon | W. T. Shannon, Minister |
| | | | | | | Madie C. Johnson | Elm Terrace, Fremont, N. H. |
| | | | | | | Charlie Gowen | |
| | | | | | | Westley B. Bishop | |
| | | | | | | Laura J. Peasey | |

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